PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the vigor and prosperity of the South Dakota economy is directly dependent upon farm and ranch to market roads and upon a superior highway system to send the goods and services we produce to the world; and

WHEREAS the highway system in South Dakota enables millions of persons in the United States to visit us and see the incomparable beauties of our Land of Infinite Variety; and

WHEREAS the benefits of highways are estimated at least three times their cost to the user because property values have been enhanced, because access is given to sites for new homes, new businesses and new recreation areas, and because modern highways reduce accident tolls and the destruction of property; and

WHEREAS rapid and safe transportation is a key to prosperity and to understanding and appreciation between peoples; and

WHEREAS maintenance and construction of our highway system is one of the highest examples of partnership between free enterprise and government in the service of all our citizens;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ARCHIE GUBBRUD, GOVERNOR of the State of South Dakota, do proclaim the week of May 21 to May 27, 1961 as

SOUTH DAKOTA HIGHWAY WEEK

in conjunction with National Highway Week which will be concurrent, and call upon all citizens of our state to give due recognition to their county highway departments and to the Department of Highways.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 15th day of May, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-One.

Archie Gubbrud
Governor, South Dakota

ATTEST:

Secretary of State

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